



Hardy to Be Civic League May Speaker

Russell L. Hardy, whose slogan is "Take the AXE out of taxes," will address the Lomita Civic League on the subject of fair taxation at the regular meeting May 1, at 8 p.m. in the Little Theater of the Junior High School at 254th and Walnut. Hardy is a former mayor of South Gate and is a candidate for the non-partisan office of County Assessor. The meeting is open to the public. Hardy will present a plan under which taxpayers would be notified in January if an increase in assessed valuation is to appear on their tax bills that year. He would urge the Board of Supervisors to appoint appeal boards in each supervisorial district.

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Residence Burglarized
Miss Ethel Wooddall, 4354 W. 182nd St., reported her wallet containing \$10 and miscellaneous papers was stolen from her residence Monday, police said.

Hawaii Film Set on May 2 At El Camino

"Holiday in Hawaii," a new colored motion picture and colored slides of the islands will be shown free to the public Friday evening, May 2, at 8 p.m., at El Camino College in Commerce Bldg., Room 2.

Stanley E. Wilson, college instructor, who with his family spent a year in the islands on teaching exchange with a professor of the University of Hawaii, will present the program.

Wilson exchanged positions, houses, cars, — "Everything but Wives" with Lloyd Newcomer of Lanikai, Hawaii.

In addition to recounting some of his experiences along with the pictures, Wilson will give information on the islands covering the cultural customs of the many races that make up the territorial populations. Wilson is taking two groups to Hawaii this summer. Some of the group plan to attend the University of Hawaii summer session.

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Trinidad Picnic
The Trinidad, Colo., picnic will be held in Bixby Park, Long Beach, Sunday, May 4.

MOVIE CENTER
India is the second largest movie producer today, next only to the U. S.

Bill Castle, machinist's mate third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis H. Castle of 2233 W. 229th St., aboard the destroyer USS Henderson, returned to San Diego, Calif., with Destroyer Division 51 on April 3 after a tour of duty in the Western Pacific.

James H. Fortner, interior communication electrician fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bishop of 2435 W. 251st St., Lomita, aboard the destroyer USS Southerland, returned to San Diego, Calif., with Destroyer Division 51 on April 3, after a tour of duty in the Western Pacific.

Oliver W. Graeser, commissaryman second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Elchinger of 23701 Western Ave., Torrance, and husband of the former Miss Mary G. Tyson, of Rising Sun, Md., is serving aboard the anti-submarine aircraft carrier USS Princeton at Long Beach.

The Princeton returned to the states in February after a seven-month Far East cruise.

Milton F. Roben, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen G. Jones, of 2525 Lesserman St., Torrance, is serving on the staff of the Commander, Cruiser Division Three, aboard the heavy cruiser USS Columbus at Long Beach.

The Columbus is the flagship of Cruiser Division Three.

Jimmy F. Dye, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted T. Dye, of 20430 Budlong Ave., Torrance, and husband of the former Miss Gay F. Steuart, of Santa Cruz, Calif., arrived in Yokosuka, Japan, April 5, aboard the cargo ship USS Pollux for a tour of duty in the Western Pacific.

William R. Lauterborn, of 21149 S. Hobart, graduated from recruit training April 11, at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

The graduation exercises, marking the end of nine weeks of "boot camp," included a full dress parade and review before military officials and civilian dignitaries.

Marine Pfc. Allen B. Tucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Tucker, of 25514 January Dr., finished four weeks of individual combat training April 18 at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

The course includes the latest infantry tactics, first aid, demolitions, field fortifications and advanced schooling on weapons.

WAC Specialist Third Class Gail L. Harsh, daughter of Earl D. Harsh, 25956 S. Applian Way, Lomita, recently was graduated from the Non-Commissioned Officer Academy at Fort George G. Meade, Md.

Specialist Harsh, whose mother, Mrs. Bernice E. Wasser, lives in Alameda, received instruction in reading maps and in the principles of unit leadership.

Regularly assigned to duty at Fort Knox, Ky., she entered the Women's Army Corps in March 1958, upon graduation from Narbonne High School in Lomita.

Army Sgt. Martin B. Garner, son of Burl D. Garner, 1927 Condon Ave., Redondo Beach, recently participated in a helicopter airlift maneuver with the 10th Division's 29th Infantry in Germany.

Sergeant Garner, a fire team leader in the infantry's Company D, entered the Army in July 1956, and completed basic training at Fort Ord.

The 24-year-old soldier is a 1951 graduate of John Marshall High School, Los Angeles. He was employed by Mitchell Camera Corp., Glendale, in civilian life.

Army Pfc. Robert W. Houchin 19, whose wife, Anita, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Houchin, live at 940 E. 220th St., recently was assigned to the 5th General Hospital in Germany.

Gardena Adult School Has Few Classes Open

Electronics, algebra, basic mathematics, bookkeeping and business machine classes are still open for registration at Gardena Adult School, 1301 W. 182nd St.

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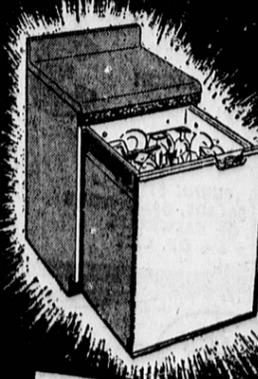
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